

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of: TSUKANOME, Kazuhiko et al.      Group Art Unit: 3782  
Serial No.                      10/514,407                      Examiner: PASCUA, Jes F.  
Filing or 371 (c) Date: 06/09/2005                      Dkt No: KYFQ-1 US  
For:    MULTI-BAG AND METHOD OF PRODUCING THE SAME, AND MULTI-BAG  
FOR BAG-MAKING AND FILLING

To:    Mail Stop RCE  
         Commissioner for Patents  
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Request for Continued Examination Transmittal Letter

Applicant is in receipt of the Advisory Action of June 24, 2009, stating its proffered after-final amendments and remarks tendered in correspondence of June 1, 2009 will not be entered. Applicant requests the following amendments and remarks be entered as a preliminary amendment to this Request for Continuing Examination.

Applicant respectfully herein submits:

- 1) 3 pages Request for Continued Examination PTO/SB/30,
- 2) 9 pages Preliminary Amendment,
- 3) 4 pages Information Disclosure Statement PTO/SB/08a, and
- 4) 1 reference consisting of 45 pages (non-patent literature).

### **REMARKS**

This RCE is being submitted in good faith and is a bona fide attempt to advance the application pursuant to 37 CFR 1.111.

DEPOSIT ACCOUNT 500323 AUTHORIZATION - All necessary fees relating to the attached submittal, if any, are intended to be included. However, the Office is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency or credit any overpayment in the fees relating to the submittal to deposit account 500323, registered to Vernon C. Maine PLLC, contact telephone no. 603-886-6100.

Respectfully submitted,

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